

### **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

#### **Listing of Claims:**

**Claim 1 (currently amended):** A coating composition for use in sliding parts, wherein the composition is ~~obtained by mixing~~ comprises a binder resin, which is polyimide or polyamide-imide, a solid lubricant of polytetrafluoroethylene in an amount of from 15% by mass to 100% by mass based on 100% by mass of the binder resin, titanium oxide powder in an amount of from 5% by mass to 35% by mass based on 100% by mass of the binder resin, and a silane coupling agent in an amount of from 0.1% by mass to 10% by mass based on 100% by mass of the binder resin.

**Claim 2 (original):** The coating composition according to claim 1, wherein the average primary particle diameter of the titanium oxide powder is 1  $\mu\text{m}$  or less.

**Claim 3 (currently amended):** The coating composition according to claim 1, wherein, ~~in a sliding film formed of the coating composition~~, the content of the ~~titanium oxide powder~~ polytetrafluoroethylene relative to the binder resin is in the range between 5% ~~30%~~ by mass and 35% ~~80%~~ by mass, inclusive, based on 100% by mass of the binder resin.

**Claim 4 (currently amended):** The coating composition according to claim 1, wherein, ~~in a sliding film formed of the coating composition~~, the content of the titanium oxide powder relative to the binder resin is in the range between 10% by mass and 20% by mass, inclusive, based on 100% by mass of the binder resin.

**Claim 5-6 (canceled):**

**Claim 7 (currently amended):** The coating composition according to claim 1, wherein;  
~~in a sliding film formed of the coating composition,~~ the content of the silane coupling agent relative to the binder resin is in the range between 2% by mass and 8% by mass, inclusive, based on 100% by mass of the binder resin.

**Claim 8-14 (canceled):**

**Claims 15 (new):** The coating composition according to claim 1, wherein:

the content of the polytetrafluoroethylene relative to the binder resin is in the range between 20.0% by mass and 76.0% by mass, inclusive, based on 100% by mass of the binder resin;

the content of the titanium oxide power relative to the binder resin is in the range between 7.7% by mass and 30.8% by mass, inclusive, based on 100% by mass of the binder resin; and

the content of the silane coupling agent relative to the binder resin is in the range between 0.2% by mass and 7.7% by mass, inclusive, based on 100% by mass of the binder resin.

**Claims 16 (new):** The coating composition according to claim 15, wherein the content of the titanium oxide powder relative to the binder resin is not less than 15.4% by mass based on 100% by mass of the binder resin.

**Claims 17 (new):** The coating composition according to claim 15, wherein the content of the polytetrafluoroethylene relative to the binder resin is not less than 30.1% by mass based on 100% by mass of the binder resin.

**Claims 18 (new):** The coating composition according to claim 15, wherein the content of the silane coupling agent relative to the binder resin is not less than 1.5% by mass based on 100% by mass of the binder resin.

**Claims 19 (new):** The coating composition according to claim 1, wherein the sliding parts are metal sliding parts.